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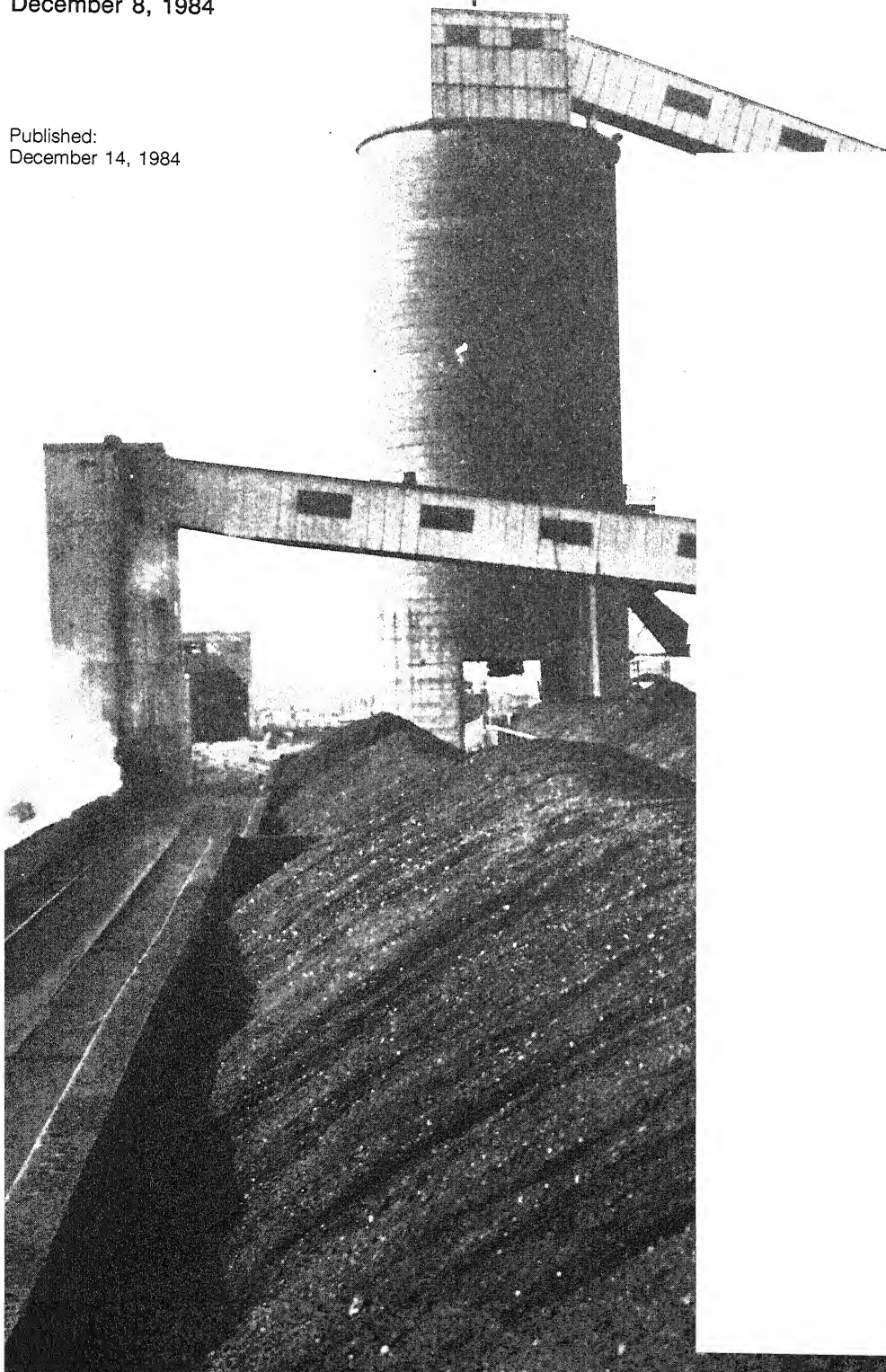
Weekly Coal Production

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Highlights

Production of bituminous coal and lignite in the week ended December 8, 1984, as estimated by the Energy Information Administration, was 16,170,000 short tons. This was an increase of 448,000 short tons or 2.8 percent from production in the previous week. Production in the corresponding week of 1983 was 17,302,000 short tons. Bituminous coal and lignite production from January 1 through December 8, 1984 totaled 843,777,000 short tons, 14.1 percent above production in the same period of 1983.

Production of Pennsylvania anthracite in the week ended December 8, 1984, as estimated by the Energy Information Administration, was 93,000 short tons, 2,000 short tons or 2.2 percent more than production in the previous week. Production in the corresponding week of 1983 was 97,000 short tons. Anthracite production from January 1 through December 8, 1984 totaled 3,822,000 short tons, 1.2 percent below production in the same period in 1983.

Figure 1. Bituminous Coal and Lignite Production

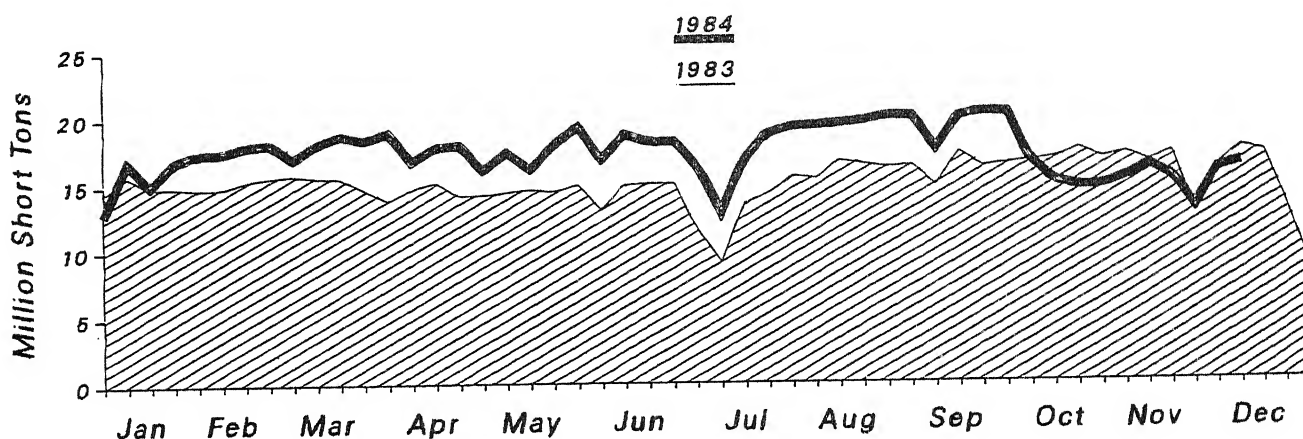


Table 1. Bituminous Coal¹ and Lignite Production

Production and Carloadings	Week Ended			Year to Date		
	12/08/84	12/01/84	12/10/83	1984	1983	Percent Change
U.S. Total Production (Thousand Short Tons).....	16,170	15,722	17,302	843,777	739,267	14.1
Railroad Carloadings (Number of Cars Loaded)...	106,506	102,998	111,273	5,617,557	4,955,526	

¹/ Includes subbituminous coal.

Note: 1984 data are preliminary.

Sources: Association of American Railroads, Transportation Division, Weekly Statement CS-54A; Energy Information Administration, Form EIA-6, "Coal Distribution Report"; and State mining agency coal production reports.

Table 2. Bituminous Coal¹ and Lignite Production by State
(Thousand Short Tons)

Coal-Producing Region and State	Week Ended		
	12/08/84	12/01/84	12/10/83
Appalachian Total.....	7,220	6,486	8,867
Alabama.....	571	572	513
Georgia.....	4	4	1
Kentucky, Eastern.....	2,016	1,909	2,111
Maryland.....	59	46	92
Ohio.....	621	517	751
Pennsylvania.....	1,232	1,084	1,537
Tennessee.....	158	159	146
Virginia.....	590	501	803
West Virginia.....	1,969	1,693	2,911
Interior Total.....	3,543	3,695	3,627
Arkansas.....	3	4	2
Illinois.....	1,192	1,435	1,191
Indiana.....	663	640	675
Iowa.....	9	9	8
Kansas.....	17	17	25
Kentucky, Western.....	775	734	747
Missouri.....	81	68	99
Oklahoma.....	112	118	63
Texas.....	690	671	818
Western Total.....	5,407	5,540	4,810
Alaska.....	21	21	18
Arizona.....	237	231	264
Colorado.....	270	281	342
Montana.....	674	688	631
New Mexico.....	804	851	463
North Dakota.....	421	431	468
Utah.....	266	275	230
Washington.....	80	78	88
Wyoming.....	2,634	2,686	2,307
East of the Mississippi.....	9,849	9,296	11,479
West of the Mississippi.....	6,320	6,426	5,825
U.S. Total.....	16,170	15,722	17,302

^{1/} Includes subbituminous coal.

Notes: 1984 data are preliminary. Total may not equal sum of components because of independent rounding.

Sources: Association of American Railroads, Transportation Division, Weekly Statement CS-54A; Energy Information Administration, Form EIA-6, "Coal Distribution Report"; and State mining agency coal production reports.

Table 3. Pennsylvania Anthracite Production

Production and Carloadings	Week Ended			Year to Date		
	12/08/84	12/01/84	12/10/83	1984	1983	Percent Change
U.S. Total Production (Thousand Short Tons).....	93	91	97	3,822	3,869	-1.2
Railroad Carloadings (Number of Cars Loaded).....	74	147	67	8,366	8,544	

Note: 1984 data are preliminary.

Sources: Association of American Railroads, Transportation Division, Weekly Statement CS-54A; Energy Information Administration, Form EIA-6, "Coal Distribution Report"; and State mining agency coal production reports.

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